ure papers by the Sheriff.

Special Dispatch to The Tribune.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 13.—To-day the preliminary consolidation of the Washtenaw County and Eastern Michigan agricultural and horticultural societies was effected. The first has its headquarters here, the other at Ypsilanti. The plan is to unite for six years, holding fairs at alternate places. If it works well, complete consolidation will be brought about.

COLUMBUS, O., March 13.—Smith M. Danser,